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N NOTICES.

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E'S SALE.

County and Mary A. county of Macon and this certain trust deed 8th, 1872, and recorded Macon county, Ill. 27, did convey to Morris the following described county of Macon, state west half of the south ...ne-half of the northwest ...ed, in the north ...ith east quarter of sec- the northwest quarter of ...of said section, all in north, range three ...ast, lot seven (7), in the section thirty-one (31), north and range four (4) ...cipal meridian, together ...the tenements and hereditaments ...longing. Said premises ...redemption ...th, 1878. JOHN A. BROWN, ...r Macon county, Illinois. ...ATH, Solicitors for Complainant. Feb17,5t.

FARMS SALE

LE 160 Acres of ...d, with a good house ...ings, well fenced, well ...orchard. 8 miles ...ter of Argenta on ...ship, Macon county, Ill. ...from 25, will improve ...on this. ...24—improved; all fenced ...on it a house, barn ...well; all the above ...in section 3. ...us at the Argenta ...HENRY HILDEBRIDT

Notice.

BY GIVEN TO THE ...ers of the city of Decatur ...of Macon and State of

'Y ELECTION

...ll be held at the ...s, in the first ward; ...Shop, in the 2d ward, ...in the 3rd ward, ...in the 4th ward, ...se, in the 5th ward, on

ICH 4th, 1879,

...or Treasurer, one Mar- ...ad Engineer, and one ...ard. ...opened at 8 o'clock A ...7 o'clock P. M. ...this 18th day of Feb ...ARDY, 1 By Register.

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'O., Proprietors. ...quare Decatur, Illinois

...ROSS, Dana & Hiller at ...ster Ill. Cash for best stock ...Gem Wagon, Springfield

...ers SHERMAN & CO.

H. MUELLER & CO.,

—DEALERS IN—

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IRON, LEAD AND BRASS PIPES AND FITTINGS, BRASS VALVES AND COCKS,

PUMPS

RUBBER HOSE, BELTING AND PACKING. ALL KINDS OF MACHINE SUPPLIES, ENGINES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, and ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY REPAIRED. Also BLACKSMITHING, PLUMBING, STEAM AND GAS FITTING. ALL WORK WARRANTED.

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Decatur, Illinois.

Oct. 16, 1878—dly

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And Dealers in all kinds of

COFFINS,

Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets.

Southwest Corner Old Square,

DECATUR, ILLS.

Residence, No. 18 West William street. June 4-d&wtf

CLOSING OUT!

Having concluded to make a change in my business, I have determined to,

CLOSE OUT

My Large and Well Selected Stock of

STOVES

—AND—

HARDWARE!

—AT—

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Call Soon and Secure Bargains.

All persons indebted to me will please call and settle and save cost.

R. C. CROCKER,

No. 9 Water Street.

Nov. 27, 1878—d&wtf

J. J. PEDDECORD. L. BURROWS. WM. M. BOYD.

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BANKING HOUSE

—OF—

PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.,

JANUARY 1, 1879.

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—WE HAVE—

MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms,

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS!

On hand at all times, which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET RATES.

☞ A general Banking Business transacted, *but no interest paid on deposits.* Jan. 7—d&w3mos

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Martha Plyburn did, on the third day of April, A. D. 1877, execute to the Decatur Building and Benefit Association, of Decatur, Illinois, one certain obligation acknowledging herself indebted to said association in the sum of four hundred dollars, money loaned her under the charter and by-laws of said association upon account of four shares of the capital stock of said association owned by her, and did bind herself, her heirs and assigns, to pay the said association the sum of ten (10) dollars monthly dues upon said shares of stock aforesaid, and also the sum of three (3) dollars interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum upon said loan, both to be paid on the first Tuesday of each and every month thereafter, until the said loan, with the interest thereon, shall have been liquidated under the charter and by-laws of said association by the said shares of capital stock aforementioned having reached their par value, and did also expressly provide that, in the event of any default in the payment of monthly dues and interest as aforesaid for the period of six months, then and in such case the whole principal debt aforesaid shall, at the option of said association, their successors and assigns, become due and payable immediately; and the payment of said principal sum and all interest thereon, as well as any dues upon said shares of stock then unpaid, together with the fines imposed under the law of said association, may be enforced and recovered at once;

And whereas, the said Martha Plyburn, joined therein by John Plyburn, her husband, for the better securing of the said obligation in consideration thereof, and for other considerations mentioned therein did upon the same day execute a certain deed of trust and acknowledge and deliver the same to the undersigned as trustee, releasing and waiving all rights under and by virtue of the Homestead Laws of Illinois, to the following described property, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of lot fifteen (15), of the southwest quarter of section fifteen (15), in township sixteen (16) north, and range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, (as platted and recorded in book 23, page 187 of the records of said county,) and running from thence south one hundred and fourteen (114) feet, thence west three chains and sixty-two links, thence north one hundred and fourteen (114) feet, thence east three chains and sixty-two links to the place of beginning; and it is expressly provided in said deed that in case of any default by said Martha Plyburn upon her obligation aforesaid as therein stipulated; and in the further event that said association, by its president or secretary, shall make application for proceedings under this trust, it should be lawful for said trustee, after publishing notice for the sale of said premises in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, county of Macon, State of Illinois, for the term of four weeks prior to the day of such sale, sell the said premises, together with the right of homestead and all the right and equity of redemption of said first party at public auction at the time and place specified in said notice of sale to the highest bidder for cash; which sale might be adjourned from time to time as shall be deemed expedient by said trustee, his attorney or successor in trust, by public proclamation or otherwise, and to make, execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof a deed or deeds for the premises sold, and out of the proceeds of said sale—after first paying commissions and costs incurred in advertising and selling said premises and all other expenses of this trust, including all money advanced for taxes and insurance on said premises, with interest thereon at ten per cent. per annum—shall pay the full amount of the principal due, interest and fines named in said obligation unpaid at the time of such sale to the legal holder or holders thereof;

And whereas, default in the monthly dues and interest as aforesaid for the period of six months has occurred; and the said association has chosen to declare the whole principal debt shall become due and payable immediately, and to enforce and recover at once the payment of said principal sum and all interest thereon as well as any dues upon said shares of stock then unpaid, together with the fines imposed under the law of said association, by its secretary, has made application for proceedings under this trust:

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of said trust deed, and by virtue of the power and authority to me granted in and by the same, and by virtue of the statute of the state, I, the undersigned, will, on

SATURDAY, THE 15th DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1879,

at the door of the west entrance to the court house stairway, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell and dispose of the above described premises and all the right and equity of redemption of the said Martha Plyburn and John Plyburn, their heirs and assigns, therein at public vendue for cash.

Feb. 14—d&d CHAS. A. EWING, Trustee.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Mary A. Lehman, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Mary A. Lehman, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of April, A. D. 1879, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 17, 1879.

JOHN A. LEHMAN, Administrator.

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For Rent.—A house with six rooms, on West Cerro Gordo street, by E. B. PRATT. Feb 4—d1m

General Gleanings.

In the last forty years England has taken part in twenty-eight wars.

The New Hampshire women are to vote for school officers this spring for the first time.

"John no votee, no stuffee ballot-boxee allee same Kearney and Mellicanman. So John must goee."

The population of the English colonies in South Africa is 2,500,000, of which 2,000,000 are blacks.

Ben. Butler's annual income from money invested in stocks and bonds at Lowell, Mass., is rated in the tax-list at $75,000.

"The place for your napkin is your lap," says the New York *Herald*. "The man who can't protect his shirt-front without a napkin ought to practice in a gymnasium."

The president of the republic of France has a yearly salary of $100,000, and $50,000 for contingent expenses. If he is as saving as Mr. Hayes he will be able to lay up something.

"People who expect to injure me by calling attention to my long sentences forget that the only persons really opposed to long sentences in this country are the criminal classes."—*Secretary Evarts.*

The Chinese government have purchased machinery and engaged experienced engineers and spinners in Germany to establish cotton mills in China, so as to free that country from dependence upon English and Russian imports.

Mr. John B. Gough, in a lecture in England, referring to the question whether alcohol was a food or a medicine, remarked that in his opinion it was "very much like sitting down on a hornet's nest—stimulating but not nourishing."

The Commodore's Deceiving Necktie.

On New Year's day, 1874 or 1875, Gen. Butterfield said he and Gen. Tyler were among Commodore Vanderbilt's callers. "You're looking well for a young man," was the Commodore's greeting to Gen. Tyler, who was but two years his junior; "I hope you have been doing as well as you look." "I always suspected that your success was due to your white necktie." Gen. Tyler responded; "it makes you venerable and people take you for a minister." "That reminds me of a story about myself," the Commodore replied. "I was coming up in a Broadway 'bus one day, and a couple of young men got in pretty well sprung. They became noisy, and I began to watch them. Pretty soon they saw me, and looking straight at my necktie one of them said: 'I s'pose you think we're a-goin' to hell, sure?' 'Oh, no,' I said; 'you're all right; a little over the bay, perhaps; but the stuff's in you, and you'll be somebody if you behave yourselves.' They gave each other a little nudge, and one of them, with a half chuckle, gulped out: 'Universalist, by——.'"

A Locomotive in a Quicksand.

The Leavenworth (Kan.) *Times* says: Mention was made in the *Times* during the summer of a singular accident which occurred on the Kansas Pacific road at the bridge crossing Kiowa creek, forty-two miles east of Denver, in which an engine attached to a freight train went through the bridge into the bed of the creek, instantly disappearing in the quicksand and baffling all attempts to recover it. For the past six months the search for the missing locomotive has been kept up, resulting in success two or three days ago, when it was found buried forty feet deep in the quicksand. The sand had been removed for a great number of yards around the scene of the disappearance of the engine, a hydraulic ram being used, the locomotive being found at last after a search of six months. The instance is one of the most remarkable on record.

Clifford's Febrifuge.—*Unfailing, infallible* cure for all diseases originating in biliary derangements, caused by the malaria of miasmatic countries. No preparation known possesses an eradicating power over this class of diseases at all comparable to Clifford's Febrifuge—It is the *ne plus ultra of Ague remedies.* Sure and safe in its action, its great power in neutralizing malarious influences is only equaled by its harmless action on the body. No disagreeable after effects from this remedy.

J. C. RICHARDSON, Prop'r, St. Louis.

For sale by all druggists.

Feb. 15—d&wlm

Great Bargains in Carpets and Window Shades, at Linn & Scruggs'. Jan 28—d&wtf

Cold Weather is at Hand.—Look to to the health and comfort of your horse by purchasing a warm blanket, to be had at J. G. Starr & Son's for $1.00 only.—Lap-robes, all styles and prices. Oct. 26—d&wtf

Try a sack of Shellabarger's "White Loaf"—new patent process flour. Dec. 18—d&wtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S. Dec. 18—d&wtf

Money to Loan on Farms. Apply to Dec. 19—w6w CREA & EWING.

Gents' Shawls.—Very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs. dec3d&wtf

B. STINE,

The "Boss Clothier,"

Has demonstrated the striking and convincing fact, by his immense trade of the past fall season, that while he is not the only retail clothing house in Central Illinois who manufactures its own clothing, he has proven, nevertheless, to every posted clothing buyer that his

Goods are Superior in Quality,

Later in Style,

Better in Workmanship,

Neater in Fit,

And last, but not least, CHEAPER IN PRICE THAN ANY HOUSE IN THIS CITY, no matter what they may claim.

Instead of closing out our old stock like some of our competitors, we are GETTING IN DAILY SUPPLIES OF

FRESH, FASHIONABLE

Spring Clothing!

At less price than any would-be manufacturers are selling their old shop-worn, ill-fitting shoddy clothing for.

In conclusion, we would advise every body in need of Men's, Youth's, Boys' or Children's Clothing, to look around and get posted before looking through

Our Immense Line of

CLOTHING

FURNISHING GOODS,

HATS, CAPS,

TRUNKS, &c.,

And our Low Prices on our

Well Made and Excellent Fitting Garments.

Will be argument enough to induce you to give us the preference.

Thanking our friends and customers for their past liberal patronage, we shall endeavor to continue to merit by FAIR, SQUARE, HONORABLE DEALINGS, as in the past, to keep that reputation also in the future.

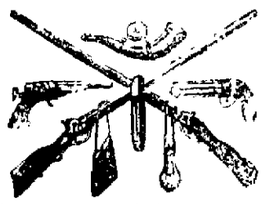
YOURS TRULY,

B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER."

Feb. 13 dtf

GUNS! GUNS!



We have just received a Large Invoice of

Guns, Revolvers

—AND—

Sportsmen's Goods,

FOR THE FALL TRADE

And now have the

LARGEST and BEST STOCK

Of the kind in Central Illinois.

We are prepared to Duplicate any Goods in our line at Eastern prices.

H. MUELLER & CO.

Aug. 6, 1878—d&w8mo

CLIFFORD'S FEBRIFUGE OR FEVER and AGUE CURE.

ERADICATES ALL MALARIAL DISEASES from the SYSTEM.

J. C. RICHARDSON, Prop.,

☞ For Sale by All Druggists. ST. LOUIS.

DECATUR EYE INFIRMARY

DR. M. BRANDOM,

One of the Twin Brothers, has returned to Decatur, his old home, where he will be prepared to treat all diseases of the

EYE AND EAR.

Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store.] Feb 18, 1879—dlmo w4mo

25 FANCY CARDS with name, 10c., Plain or Gold. 150 styles. Agent's outfit, 10c., HULL & Co., Hudson, New York.

BLENZ & DANZEISEN

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

—A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED

MEATS.

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

We have on hand a choice lot of Sugar Cured Hams at 10 cents per pound; Sugar-Cured Shoulders at 7 cents per pound; Lard at 8 cts per pound; Sliced Hams at 15 cents per pound.

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock Feb19'78d1f1d.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS, Elias Hughes, of the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, did, on the 22d day of January, A. D. 1874, by his deed of trust of said date, convey to the undersigned trustees the real estate hereinafter described, which trust deed was duly recorded in the Recorder's office of said Shelby county, in book 61 of trust deeds, at page 186, and was made to secure the payment of our promissory note of said Hughes, of even date with said deed, in the sum of $800.00, due five years after date, with interest at ten per cent., payable semi-annually, which interest is evidenced by interest coupons bearing ten per cent. after due, and also to secure any money advanced by the holder of said note for the payment of taxes upon said real estate; upon which note and trust deed will be due on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1879, the sum of $984.27;

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in the payment of principal or interest as aforesaid when due, or in payment of the taxes upon said premises, it shall be lawful for said trustees, on application of the legal holder of said note, to proceed and sell said premises at the place hereinafter appointed after giving the notice hereby given.

And whereas, default has been made in each of the above-mentioned respects, and the legal holder of said note has made application to said trustees to proceed and sell said premises under the terms and for the purposes mentioned in said trust deed;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustees will, on

Thursday, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1879,

at two o'clock p. m., at the front door of the Court House, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises situate in the county of Shelby aforesaid, to-wit: The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section nine, township thirteen north, range two east of the third principal meridian, and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of same section, and all the right, title and interest of said Elias Hughes therein, by virtue of the authority in them vested by said trust deed, and for the purposes in said trust deed mentioned.

JASPER J. PEDDECORD, LOWREN BURROWS, } Trustees.

Feb. 8, 1879. [jan10d1d

Cheap Charley

ONE PRICE ONLY.

No Misrepresentation.

THE "POOR MAN'S FRIEND."

THE ONLY RETAIL CLOTHING HOUSE IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS WHICH MANUFACTURES ITS OWN CLOTHING.

Our New Stock is now in course of being manufactured, but we will Display this Spring a better assortment than ever, but

FOR THE PRESENT

We will sell our Stock on hand at

A REDUCTION!

from our former already low prices to make room for the New Stock.

We are bound to prove that we are the LIVELIEST CLOTHIERS IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS, and always guarding the interest of our customers.

CLOTHING!

HATS, CAPS,
BOOTS, SHOES,
UNDERWEAR,
TRUNKS &C.

At Manufacturers' Prices,

'CHEAP CHARLEY'

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND.

Feb. 1 d&wtf KAUFMAN & BACHRACH.

CURE YOURSELF!

Dr. Bohanan's "Vegetable Curative" is warranted to permanently cure all forms of Spermatorrhœa or Seminal Weakness, General Debility, Impotency, etc., and restores Lost Power, and brings back the Youthful Vigor of those who have destroyed it by sexual excesses or self practice, in from two to seven weeks time. This remedy, which has been used by Dr. Bohanan in his private practice for over thirty years, was never sold in full in urgings on the WORLD CURE. It gives vigor and importance with weak, nervous, shattered constitutions, and brings back the youthful fire of those middle aged men who feel a weakness beyond their years. Having given positive evidence of its efficacy, we now offer it to the unfortunate victims of that dreadfully destructive habit of self abuse, and will guarantee a cure in every case, or refund the money. Address Dr. C. A. BOHANAN, 6.1 North Fifth Street, St. Louis, Mo.

MARRIAGE SECRETS

Just Published, a Book of about 100 pages, containing valuable information, which should be read by the married and those contemplating marriage, and those who have lost vigor and vitality, or are suffering from Nervous Weakness, Dimness of Sight, Premature Decay, Impotency, Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhœa, Diseases of the Urinary and Sexual Organs, Nervous Debility, Dyspepsia, Consumption, Epilepsy, Fits, Insanity, and all other diseases resulting from the Secret Habit, Self Abuse, Sexual Excesses, etc. Sent free by mail, in sealed envelopes, only. Address Dr. C. A. BOHANAN, 6.1 North Fifth Street, St. Louis, Mo.

Jan 18, 1879 d&wly

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Ira N. Barnes et al. vs. Robert M. Mahaffey, John H. Mahaffey, Maud Mahaffey, Eliza Ellen Charles Linn, Franklin Rhodes, Frank Shepherd, James C. Lake and Simon P. Nickey—Bill to foreclose trust deed.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Thursday the 27th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The north half of the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-six (26), in township No. seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, containing in all 120 acres more or less, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., Jan 2 th, 1879.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

ROBY, OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainants. jan26d3w

Redemption Notice.

To Ann M. Pitts, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot 1, south-west quarter northwest quarter of section 19, township 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M., taxed in the name of Ann M. Pitts, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. JOHN N. BILLS. Feb. 25-d3w

Redemption Notice.

To James Hackett, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot 6, block 1, Rolling Mill Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of James Hackett, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879

Feb 25—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION.

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THE partnership heretofore existing between James A. Read and John F. Miller is this day dissolved by mutual consent. James A. Read assuming all claims against the said firm of Read & Miller, and collects all bills due them.

JAMES A. READ
JOHN F. MILLER.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 12, 1879.

To the Business Men of Decatur.

I would say that I shall continue to manufacture Coin Trays, Reserve Boxes, and improvements for Money Drawers; I also keep on hand the very best Alarm Drawers manufactured; and if you need anything to facilitate the handling of coin, I shall be pleased to have you examine my goods before purchasing elsewhere, believing I have the best and cheapest goods in my line ever offered in the United States. JAMES A. READ

Office, No 7, over Opera House entrance, Decatur, Ill. feb19d1w

POLAND CHINA SOWS.

THOSE wishing to improve their hogs, cannot do better than to call on T. H. BARR, of Argenta, Ills., who offers choice Poland China Brood Sows at prices with in the reach of every one. Don't fail to give him a call. Dec. 5—w1w

M. A. MYER,

HOUSE, SIGN AND

FRESCO PAINTER!

GLAZIER,

GRAINER AND PAPER HANGER.

Thankful for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. Shop over Quinlan & Bro's Carpet Store, East Main Street, Decatur, Illinois. Mar17'79-1y

When You Buy Homeopathic Medicines be sure you get the regular preparations such as physicians use. A full line of these on hand from Luytles Homeopathic Pharmacy, St. Louis, Mo. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ills. apr26-w1y.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

Sidney A. Bonesteel vs. William D. Pickle—Foreclosure No. 10710.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 8th day of March, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. five (5), in block No. twenty-two (22), in Bailey's Addition to the town of Macon, as shown by the recorded plat of said addition to said town, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 15th, 1879.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

F. S. TAFT, Solicitor for Complainant. Feb. 14—d5w

Query!—Why will you smoke a poor 5-cent cigar when you can get "Kepler's Queen," warranted 18 carats fine, for the same money? [April 11-dtf

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The Daily Republican.

E. K. HAMSHER. J. K. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER PUBLISHERS.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 27, 1879.

THE Illinois Legislature has been in session just seven weeks. One bill has passed both Houses. If the danger just now lies in too much legislation, as many insist, then is the Illinois General Assembly entitled to great credit.

GENERAL Geo. W. Morgan, of Ohio, says that General Taylor never said, "A little more grape, Captain Bragg." This is General Morgan's version of the story: "A large body of the enemy's cavalry had turned Taylor's left, and was doing severe execution in his rear. Bragg, with his battery almost unsupported, dashed forward to resist them, and while the battle uneasily balanced in the scale of fate, old Zach galloped up and exclaimed, 'Give them hell, Captain Bragg! Bragg did give them hell, and the huge column of the enemy's cavalry rolled back to their own line." Morgan is not as good a witness as was Bragg. There was reason in saying "A little more grape," and General Taylor probably said it. The other remark was simply general, and had no special significance.

AH, yes, fond youth! It may be very nice to court a girl in the far Northern countries where the nights are six months long, but just think of the vast amount of peanuts and gum-drops the young man, when going to see his girl, must lug along with him in order to kill time, and induce her to believe that his affection for her is as warm as ever. And then the sad leave-taking a few weeks before sunrise! He whispers 'Good night, love," and she softly murmurs, 'Good night, dear. When shall I see you again?" 'To-morrow night," he replies, as he kisses her upturned face. "To-morrow night," she repeats, with a voice full of emotion. 'Six long, weary months!' Can't you call around a few days before breakfast, Charles?" Finally Charles tears himself away, with a promise to write her 169 letters before the next day draws to a close.—*Norristown Herald.*

THE average husband is a very tractable and accommodating person, and endeavors to treat his wife with due consideration. But when she sends him on an exploring expedition to the clothes press after an article of feminine wearing apparel, and after he has groped half an hour in the dark, bruised his knuckles on hooks and nails, and become generally demoralized, after he has repeatedly told her the desired article was not there, and she has as often responded that it hung on a certain peg in a certain corner; after his wife has repeatedly told him he wasn't worth a cent to find anything, and he has about come to the conclusion that he is an illustrious fool, anyway, we say, after all this has transpired, and the woman falls to thinking, and suddenly remarks, "Oh, I guess I put it in the chest up stairs, after all," the man slams the clothes press door and resumes his dignity as lord of creation.—*Rome Sentinel.*

CHICAGO papers have said some severe things about St. Louis, but if the *Dispatch* of that city tells the truth, they have not touched the merits of the case. The *Dispatch* says:

We have spoken of St Louis as it is — a city without theaters, or hotels, or books, or music, or art, or monuments, or endowments, or parks, or gardens. It is notoriously, of all great cities, the dingiest, and worst kept; if has fewer children at the schools, fewer voters at the polls, than any other large city in the Union. Yet there is something worse than the mere lack of culture in the mind, than mere lack of cleanliness in the streets, than mere lack of interest in great issues or vital questions; there is a blacker stain than the reproach of a single defaulter, a deeper disgrace than the cowardice of the tax-dodger; it is the curse of St. Louis today.

The curse is that we are ruled by the alliance of whisky and gambling; and the corruption bred by these noxious influences permeates our whole local government and our local politics. For the rank and file of the voters two thousand dram shops open their seductive portals; for the leaders the gamblers' ring offers at once the means of achieving success and the substantial rewards which wait upon success achieved. The pollution of its bribery has silenced a servile press, has corrupted an obsequious police, has defiled the very judgment seat of justice itself. The congenial alliance between the gambling hell and the brothel, the convenient service of the panderer and the capper, the coercion of the spy and the blackmailer—these have been the influences which have ruled St. Louis, mocking at honesty, insulting purity, defying decency—our burden, our shame, and our ruin.

TO BE OF PERMANENT BENEFIT a medicine must reach the source of the disease. The reason why SCOVILL'S BLOOD AND LIVER SYRUP is so successful in overcoming scrofulous, syphilitic and eruptive complaints is that it entirely roots out those impurities which give rise to them. The cause of the evil being thus removed and the normal purity of the circulation restored, the skin resumes its original clearness and sores and pimples disappear. Sold by S. M. Irwin, the Live Druggist. 22-d&wtw

Stop at Ham & Black's, on Prairie street, and buy your turkeys, chickens butter, eggs, oysters, game and Shellabarger's flour. [Jan. 11-dtf

REPEAL OF THE SUPERVISOR LAW.

From the Chicago Journal.

The Democrats of the House succeeded yesterday in passing the Legislative Appropriation bill with the clause attached which repeals the Supervisor law, as it generally called. The proceedings as reported show that a very animated debate was elicited, and the vote was very close. The policy of the Republican members was to abstain from voting, and thus break a quorum; but three of their number actually voted, and although in the negative, the practical effect was to pass the bill. It now goes to the Senate, where it will be passed—undoubtedly with that clause stricken out.

The real struggle will come in conference. Quite independent of this feature of the bill, a conference committee would be necessary. Some points have to be conceded on both sides. Compromise is inevitable on a great many points. How it will result as regards the Supervisor law, it is not possible to foresee; but the indications are that the Democrats will insist upon that repeal, let come what will, and it is certain that they can carry their point, if they are really bent upon it, in an extra session, if not in this session. Not only can they prevent any appropriation for the general machinery of the Government, at this session, but in the next Congress that party will be in control of both houses of Congress. It could then say to the President, Sign the Appropriation bills as we pass them or the wheels of Government shall stop stock still. Such being the case, it is very doubtful if the Republicans will resist the repeal beyond the point of throwing the entire responsibility therefor upon the Democracy, although we hope they will resist to the utmost this infamy.

By forcing the repeal of this law the Democrats would really commit a great blunder. They would thus proclaim to the country that they are opposed to honest elections, that the frauds and outrages which have been committed by a few have the sanction of the party as a whole. Hitherto the Democrats could say, with plausibility, that the Tweeds of New York, Eph Hollands of Cincinnati, Dave Thorntons of Chicago, and bull-dozers of the South did not represent the sentiment and policy of the party; but if the bulwark of honest elections be overthrown by the party and all impediments in the way of electoral infamies be removed, then the responsibility will be transferred from the tools of wrong to the political organization which upholds and defends such things. No party can afford to disgrace itself in any such way. The great mass of the people of both parties are honest, and want a fair election. By arraying the party upon the side of fraud and violence the Democrats in Congress cannot fail to alarm, disgust and alienate a very considerable element of their party.

Expensive Politeness.

From Peck's Sun.

It is a critical moment in the life and clothing of a man when he gets down on his knees to look under the sofa for a ball of zephyr that a lady friend has dropped. It is possible that he may be able to accomplish this and recover his perpendicular with nothing more serious than a very red face and a general sense of having done something for which he should be sent from the room. But in nine cases out of ten he never fully recovers the good opinion of himself that he possessed before he undertook the recovery of that ball. It is always just beyond his reach, and in a moment of weakness he drops on his vest and commences to work himself under the sofa by a series of acrobatic feats that would have won him an encore on the stage. He is so intent upon the recovery of the ball that he quite forgets his appearance until he is reminded by a suppressed titter from one of the ladies. Then he realizes the situation and commences to back out. Of course his coat is worked up over his head, and as he feels a cold streak creep up his back he pronounces a benediction on the man who invented an open-back shirt. He is also painfully conscious that about two inches of red flannel drawers are visible between the tops of his boots and the bottom of his trowsers. This has the effect of producing more internal profanity and still more violent struggles to back out, during which one suspender breaks and his collar-button comes out. When he finally delivers himself and stands up in the middle of the room, you would not recognize in that red-faced, wild-eyed man, standing there holding his clothes together with one hand and trying to smooth down his hair with the other, the smiling, genteel ladies' man who stooped down to pick up that ball of zephyr a moment before.

IN the Baltimore *Sun* Ward Lamon, Lincoln's biographer, pronounces the New York correspondent of the Indianapolis *Journal* a liar, calumniator and scoundrel, because he said that Lamon was an illiterate ne'er-do-well and suppressed the facts about Lincoln's birth at the urgent solicitation of David Davis, Leonard Swett and others. Mr. Lamon says that he never intended the world to infer that Mr. Lincoln was not born in lawful wedlock. On the contrary, he declared explicitly, on evidence satisfactory to him, that they were lawfully married, but that neither he nor Mr. Herndon had been able to find any record of the fact. To supply this deficiency we are now furnished with a copy of a record in Washington county, Ky., which shows the marriage to have taken place on the 23d day of September, 1806.

IT will pay you to call and see the bargains left in jewelry, etc., etc., at J. L. Knieper's, 26 Merchant street, one door north of old stand. dawtf

TELEGRAPHIC

HAYES' RECEPTION.

And How the Reporters were Snubbed.

The New Census Bill:

FOREIGN NOTES.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Democratic organ here, to-day, appeals in a variety of articles to its party representatives to stand together and force its measures through without yielding to the Senate or the conference.

The veto of the Chinese bill is expected by Friday or Saturday. Among other things the message will refer to the fact of the pending negotiations with the Chinese Emperor, through his Embassy, as a reason for no present action by Congress.

Metropolitan journalism was treated to a new experience at the White House last night, such of the accredited society correspondents of the great Eastern journals as were requested to attend being admitted to the vestibule with the hackmen in waiting, and informed that this place had been set apart for the press.

The House took up the Census bill, and expects to reach a vote by 2 o'clock this afternoon. General Butler's proposition to divide the census-takers between the two political parties received ten votes.

The lobbies are filled with those who are interested in various measures, and all are struggling, through their friends on the floor, for recognition under a suspension of the rules, that being the order for all business beginning to-day.

The Senate is working on the minor appropriation bills. The committee will take up the Sundry Civil bill to-morrow. A great number of amendments will be made. The Legislative bill cannot receive consideration till the very last of the week.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Census bill as it passed the House, provides that the enumeration shall commence on the first Monday in June, and the returns shall be forwarded to Supervisors on or before the first of July, 1880, and in any city having over 10,000 inhabitants, the enumeration shall be taken within two weeks from the first Monday in June. The President, by and with the consent of the Senate, is to have the appointment of Supervisors of the Census, whose number is limited to 150, and who are to receive a compensation of $500 each. The sum of $3,000,000, $250,000 of which is hereby appropriated, is limited as the maximum.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—In answer to a letter of Representative Wood asking to be informed as to the cash balance in the treasury on the 15th inst., how much of the amount is held for resumption purposes and how much for other purposes; also, how much in coin, United States notes and other available cash resources, Secretary Sherman says: "From the latest returns received there was in the general assets of the treasury on the date mentioned, of gold coin and bullion, $133,377,271; of silver coin and bullion, $35,565,438; in all, $168,942,809. After deducting the amount of current liabilities from the amount of the entire assets the balance available for resumption at the same date was $136,467,264. But no separate designation of particular moneys for this purpose has been kept, nor has it yet been determined whether the resumption fund can be considered as moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—An altercation occurred in the Senate lobby about ten o'clock to-night between Don Piatt and Wm. McGarrahan, which, though of a very brief duration, resulted in Piatt's being badly punished about the head and face. The altercation grew out of personal allusions to Mr. Garrahan, published editorially in the Sunday *Capitol.*

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Charles Angell, the defaulting Pullman Palace Car Company Secretary, will, it is stated, plead guilty in the Criminal Court tomorrow morning. He has not yet broken his self-imposed silence on the subject of the crime, and has not seen Pullman.

LONDON, February 26.—Tremendous storms continue in the south of France where hundreds of people are thrown on public charity by the destruction or inundation of their houses. In Spain the tempest lasted four days, and there was much damage and loss of life.—Various villages and farms in Navarre and Aturias were destroyed. A bark (name unknown) was wrecked at Corunna and thirty persons drowned. The steamer Memphis, from Liverpool for New Orleans, went ashore at the entrance of the harbor of Corunna, and has been abandoned. She is considered a complete wreck.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 26.—The sale of the *Golos* on the streets has been prohibited, the authorities declaring that its plague news is false and exaggerated.

The *Official Messenger* states that a footman here is suffering from a slight attack of the Astrakhan disease. Himself and 48 of his associates have been isolated and their effects burned.

VIENNA, Feb. 26.—A telegram from the Austro-German Plague Commission at Toaritsen says the Commissioners met with the greatest opposition from the Russian authorities in the execution of their duties.

Spotted Typhus is announced as prevailing in Eastern Galicia.

An estimate will be submitted to Parliament for an advance of £1,500,000 for the expenses of the Zulu war. This is on account, and does not purport to represent the entire, or any exact, proportion of the expenses of the war. A vote is necessary to supply what would otherwise be a deficiency in the budget, which expires on the 4th of April.

Prince Louis Napoleon and retinue sail in the steamer Danube from Southampton to-morrow for the Cape, to join the British military forces in South Africa as a volunteer. The Prince, in a letter to Rouher, announcing his intention of joining the British forces at the Cape, says; "For the last eight years I have been a guest of England; my education was completed in an English military school, and I have strengthened my ties of friendship with the English army by taking part in the annual maneuvers. The war at the Cape having assumed a more serious character, I have wished to follow the campaign. I could not retrain from sharing the dangers and fatigues of the troops among whom I have so many friends. Moreover, the time spent in witnessing this struggle of civilization against barbarism will not be wasted for me."

The Government has chartered the steamer Andean to carry a portion of the artillery to the Cape. This is the sixteenth steamer chartered to carry troops and war material to South Africa.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—It is understood there will be a meeting of the creditors of the City of Glasgow Bank in a fortnight, followed by a call for £4,000 or £5,000 per share, so as to place the estates of all the shareholders immediately under the control of the liquidator, and obviate the necessity for further call. The report from the liquidator anticipates that all creditors will be paid in full, if, as is believed, the House of Lords confirms the decision of the Scotch Judges concerning the liability of trustees for shares registered in their name.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—The Southwestern Rate Association, to-day, agreed to reduce the rates from Missouri river points, on cattle, $5 per car, on hogs, $10 per car.

It is stated that arrangements are about completed for pooling of rates between the Union Pacific, Kansas Pacific and Colorado Central Railroads. It is intimated that the Union Pacific has agreed to appropriate $2,000,000 to complete the Colorado Central from Georgetown, its present terminus to Leadville.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Feb. 26.—Satisfactory assurances have been received from Washington to-day that United States Marshal Roe will be retained, at least until his official term expires.—Thus ends the fight against a worthy and competent officer, and which appears to have been a mere continuance of the Senatorial election in respect to knifing one of Logan's friends. The attempt to oust Marshal Roe originated and was mainly supported outside the Southern Federal District.

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DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY for Consumption is certainly the greatest medical remedy ever placed within the reach of suffering humanity. Thousands of once helpless sufferers now loudly proclaim their praise for this wonderful Discovery, to which they owe their lives.—Not only does it *positively cure* Consumption, but Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Hoarseness and all affections of the Throat, Chest and Lungs yield at once to its wonderful curative powers as if by magic. We therefore *earnestly request* that you call on your druggists, Hubbard & Swearingen, and get a trial bottle *free of charge*, which will convince the most skeptical of its wonderful merits, and show you what a regular one dollar size bottle will do. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen. 4

A WRITER in the *New York Tribune* says that carbolic acid administered in a very diluted state in the drinking-water of cattle, and sprinkled about barns, stables and yards, is an absolute disinfectant, and prevents cattle disease. The spread of the rinderpest in England was stopped by the use of carbolic acid.

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Bed Ticks filled with straw or husks, by Howard & Ferguson. jan10dtf

The Old Dominion Buck Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents, are reduced in price, and are the best gloves on the American continent, at any price. To be had only of LINN & SCRUGGS Oct. 31—dtf

Choice Bulk Oysters just received at Gephart's, 50 cents per quart. Will be kept on hand all the time. nov 2dtf

For the best sugar-cured dried beef to be found in the city, you will go to J. Imboden & Son feb11d&w3w

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S. Dec. 18—d&wtf

The Empire State of the West.

The census of 1880 is expected to show an increase in the total population of the country of nearly ten millions. In 1870 the population was 38,558,371, and reliable statisticians estimate that the census of 1880 will show a total of 47,694,598 inhabitants. While some portions of the country show no increase, other sections exhibit wonderful gains. The greatest increase is estimated to have been in the States of Illinois, California, Kansas, Minnesota, Texas and Florida, in the order named. It is gratifying to record that Illinois is the banner State in increase, which is not strange, considering that Illinois has a greater mileage of railroads than any State in the Union, and greater agricultural resources. In 1870 Illinois ranked as the fourth State in the Union; New York standing first; Pennsylvania second, and Ohio third. Ohio, in 1870, had a population of 2,656,269, and Illinois 2,539,891, the difference in favor of the former State being a little over one hundred thousand. It is estimated that in 1880 Illinois will contain a population of 3,268,182, and Ohio 3,037,264. Thus, Illinois will exchange places with Ohio in the rank of States, and stand next to Pennsylvania. The estimated increase in Illinois for the decade is 728,291, which will be regarded as a very healthy and prosperous growth for hard times.

Loans.—Private funds on farm lands. Nov. 30—d&wtf. J. M. CLOKEY

SOME of the Spring Styles of ladies' shoes and slippers, at Ferriss' Shoe Store. Jan. 25-d&wtf

Howard & Ferguson make the best mattresses, of all kinds, in the city. Feb. 10—dtf

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A RARE CHANCE IS OFFERED TO A suitable tenant to rent a fine fruit and grain farm of 48 acres, situated only fifteen minutes' drive from the court house, Decatur, Illinois. This farm has about 600 fine-bearing trees, consisting of apples, pears, cherries and quinces; a fine old vineyard of over 2,000 vines; a large variety of small fruits; several acres of blackberries and raspberries; over two acres of fine wine plant—a species of rhubarb; and the remainder of the farm suitable for any kind of cultivation. A good two-story brick house, stable, wood shed, etc.

Any person understanding this business can realize a fine income from this place. Terms reasonable. Inquire of

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Feb. 27—d&wtf Decatur, Illinois.

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1 case of the handsomest Marseilles Quilts for the price ever shown in the city.

1000 pieces of beautiful Embroideries, from 2c to 25c, both white and colored.

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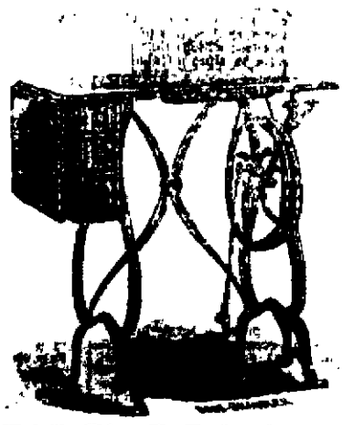

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SHADES and fixtures at Ashby's. f18dawtf

IN the absence of police business the Justices of the Peace are kept quite busy with civil suits and collections.

UPHOLSTERING done right at Ashby's. f18-dawtf

HAVE your furniture repaired at Howard & Ferguson's. jan10dtf

THOSE who saw Miss Charlotte Thompson when she appeared here two years ago as "Jane Eyre," should not fail to see her as "Miss Multon" to-night.

THE latest from an exchange. "The Bible is wrong again: it was John Wilkes Booth and not Cain who killed Abel."

ALL kinds of upholstering done at Howard & Ferguson's. jan10dtf

FRESH FEATHERS for sale at Linn & Scruggs'. [Nov 28-dtf

"OUR CLUB" meets to-night—no postponement. Last night of the Italian Band.

WHITE and colored Alexander one-button Kid Gloves, will be closed out at 40c. a pair, by LINN & SCRUGGS.
Jan. 5-d&wtf

OPERA GLASSES in endless variety, for *sale or rent*, at Curtis & Ewing's. When you go to the theatre go and *buy* or *rent* a pair.

AMONG the many kinds of new and delicious candies received at "Martin's" confectionery to-day is the celebrated "S. B. Cough Drops," 5 cents an ounce.

REVIVAL services at Stapp's Chapel this evening at 7 o'clock. The meeting last evening was brimfull of interest, and a number professed faith in Christ.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!!—You can get Newport Ties at Barber & Baker's for $1.00—former price, $1.50.
Feb. 11-d&wtf

WE ARE now able to supply the demand for a good, solid, serviceable and neat walking shoe for $1.00. Call and se them, at Barber & Baker's.
Feb. 11-d&wtf

Two hundred and fifty-five pounds of Ben Dodson, Jr., put in an appearance at the REPUBLICAN office this morning—the rest of him will call at another time.

HOLIDAYS OVER and now to business. E. B. Pratt, North Church street, will give in exchange for corn, oats, wood, pork, beef, and country produce, groceries, dry goods, boots and shoes, ready made clothing, harness and hardware.
Jan. 10-d&w3m

THE concert at Urbana on Tuesday evening, in which Mrs. W. C. Johns, of this city, and Prof. Pierson, of Litchfield, participated, netted the Episcopal Church at that place $185. The Champaign *Gazette* pronounced the entertainment the most successful one of the season.

THERE are now six female lawyers in the United States, and all are having a fair practice. They are Mrs. Lockwood, of Washington; Mrs. Bradwell, of Chicago; Mrs. Phebe Cozzens, of St. Louis; Mrs. Foster, of Iowa; Mrs. Goodall, of Wisconsin, and Mrs. Folz, of San Francisco.

As I am going out of the saloon business on the 10th of March next, I will sell what liquors I have now on hand at half price. EDWARD HOUSTON,
Jan. 15-d&w7w Old Revere House.

THE young man Heft, who was yesterday adjudged insane in Judge Greer's court, was, in the first place, sent to the institution for the feeble-minded at Lincoln, but as his condition was such that he could not be cared for there, he was returned to his father, who concluded to try the treatment at Jacksonville. It is to be hoped that the young man's reason may be restored.

MERRILL Seamless Side-lace Shoes, for Ladies, at Ferriss's. Perfect fitting, no seams, and consequently no ripping—an elegant style, for $2.50.
Feb. 18-d&wtf

WEATHER prophets are predicting the largest snowstorm of the season, and if there is anything in a chilling northeast wind and a hazy sky on which to found such a prediction, there has been good reason for the prophecy since noon today. People will generally hope to be spared the infliction of another snowstorm this season.

COMPANY H., 7th regiment I. N. G., at Beardstown, on the Illinois river, Cass county, Capt. V. R. Neal commanding, having fallen below the minimum number of men required by law to constitute a company, and having failed to comply with many of the regulations governing the services, has been officially disbanded by order of the commander-in-chief.

THE people are beginning to learn that they can get great bargains in hardware and stoves at R. C. Crocker's great closing out sale. His goods are all first-class, and those buying of him will find that they have saved money by so doing. Call and see while the opportunity is offered. A full line of cooking and heating stoves yet remain, on which the purchaser can save at least 25 per cent.

THE Paris *Republican* has the following jot:

Eleven young men from this city and vicinity left on the noon train Monday, for Leadville. Some of them will walk back, perhaps, when warm weather comes on.

Our Decatur boys, who think of emigrating to Leadville, will do well to make a note of the last sentence of the above paragraph.

For choice New York Buckwheat Flour go to SHELLABARGER'S.
Dec 18-d&wtf

BAD POLICY.

Everybody who owns property in Decatur, or who intends to make a home here, should interest themselves in the establishment and support of manufactories in the town. We have no doubt that all intend to do this, but it seems to us that some parties who ought to feel a deeper interest in the matter referred to than anybody else, pursue a course directly calculated to drive manufactories from the place rather than to encourage their establishment. We refer particularly to owners of lots which they desire to sell. In several instances, when persons have been prospecting here with a view to starting some new enterprise, and have approached owners of real estate with reference to the purchase of a lot or lots on which to erect buildings, the owners of the lots have at once put upon them a double price, when it would really be to their interest to donate grounds for the proposed enterprise rather than not to have it come here. Several manufacturing establishments have been driven elsewhere through the eagerness of lot owners to get a high price for their grounds.

We hope that hereafter real estate owners will pursue a different policy, and will be ready to make propositions to persons seeking to open manufactories or other laudible enterprises here that will induce them to drive their stakes among us. The donation of one lot may open the way for the sale of several others.—Manufactories are what we need as a town, and we hope that the present season will witness the opening of many new industries in our town.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

A day or two since we heard one of our prominent citizens arguing in favor of a state institution for the incurably insane, who, under the present arrangement, when pronounced incurable by the authorities of insane asylums, are generally sent to the county poor farms in their respective counties, where it is impossible to give them the care which humanity dictates they should receive. The idea is a good one. The attention of the legislature should be called to it by the humanely disposed. There are now in existence state institutions that are less deserving of public support than an institution of this kind would be. A movement in favor of a home for the unfortunate class referred to might as well be inaugurated in Decatur as elsewhere. Suppose some of our enterprising women lead off in the matter

CHARLOTTE THOMPSON TO-NIGHT.—The opportunity to hear and see so talented an actress as Miss Thompson occurs but seldom. For this reason the opera house should be crowded to-night. The following from the St. Paul *Press* indicates the high esteem in which this lady is held in that city:

This beautiful and talented actress was complimented yesterday by two of the largest and best audiences that have gathered in the opera house for a long time. Miss Thompson, always a favorite with the best class of theater-goers in St. Paul, as indeed she is in all portions of the country, appears to take a stronger hold upon their affection and estimation on each recurring visit. This is undoubtedly caused by the fact that she constantly improves. That while she is an artist of consummate genius, finish and beauty, she is still a devoted, painstaking student. It would be pleasant to make more particular notice of her splendid acting in the plays with which she has favored St. Paul during this engagement, but the limit of space forbids, hence the pleasure must be deferred until another time.

CONTENTS OF TO-DAY'S WEEKLY.—Full account of the Hospital Fair, trial of Chas. H. Brown, the *bal masque* at Theo. A. Gehrmann's, the criminal bulletin, temperance meetings, marriage and death records and a miscellaneous lot of interesting local matter; besides the latest telegraphic intelligence, editorial notes, and "Chat's" racy account of her experience. Extra copies may be had on application at the REPUBLICAN counting rooms.

HELD TO BAIL.—Thomas F. Davis, who was arrested on Sunday night at the county bridge for stealing hams, was before Justice Curtis yesterday afternoon, where he was held to bail in the sum of three hundred dollars. Not being able to furnish a satisfactory bond he was committed to the county jail. Davis had an accomplice, who made his escape.

U. B. CHURCH.—There will be services at the U. B. Church this evening. An excellent meeting was held last night, at which several professed conversion. Regular quarterly meeting services will be held on Saturday evening and Sunday next, and the revival meetings will continue during the balance of this week.

Knights of Honor.—Regular meeting to-night at 7:30 o'clock. Business of interest and importance to every member to be transacted. A full attendance desired.
B. F. TAIT, Dictator.
HENRY A. WOOD, Reporter.

GLOVES FOUND.—We are requested to advertise the finding of a pair of gents' gloves, which the owner can have by calling at this office and paying for this notice. The gloves are kid, pink-lined, with worn fur at the wrists. They are in good condition, but the yellow stitching on the backs is partly pulled out owing to hard usage. The finder states that he picked them up on Saturday night and has held them until to-day, believing that some one would advertise for their return

CHURCH FESTIVAL.—The festival to be given this evening by the members of the African M. E. church, will be held in the store room on the south side of the square lately occupied by Green's grocery, and still more lately by Fred Smith. Admission only ten cents. All are invited.

COAL! COAL!—ANTHRACITE AND BITUMINOUS.—Orders left at the Furniture Salesrooms, Water street, will be promptly attended to. Yard adjoining the Furniture Factory. J. H. VANNORSDELS.
Jan 20-d3m

THE TABERNACLE LAST NIGHT.

As cold as was the weather last night a large audience gathered at the tabernacle for the temperance rally. Rev. Dr. Goodwin was the first speaker, and a right lively talk he made, which drew forth enthusiastic applause from those present. The Doctor is always listened to with interest, and he always expresses himself in a manner which leaves no doubt as to where he stands and what he believes in regard to the temperance question.

The Doctor was followed by W. C. Outten, Esq., who offered some practical thoughts in a very pleasant way.

The meeting was characterized by the usual enthusiasm, showing a deep interest on the part of those present in the work in which they are engaged.

This evening the meeting will be addressed by Rev. W. H. Prestley, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in this city, and by Rev. J. H. Noble, of Springfield.

Mr. Noble will be remembered as a former pastor of the First M. E. Church in this city. He is an eloquent speaker, and all will desire to hear him Mr. Prestley is too well known to our citizens as an able divine and eloquent advocate of temperance to need any introduction or commendation, and the desire to hear him will be general. In a word, the card for the evening is a strong one, and will doubtless crowd the tabernacle to its full capacity.

ANOTHER CARD.

In the absence of J. W. Race I would suggest that if "X" had disclosed his (or her) brilliant ideas of business to the "Committee" before their entertainment there need have been no such official as "an efficient treasurer." What need of one, if each and every lady in the tabernacle had followed his (or her) example. Or does he (or she) think it is a treasurer's business to settle all the expenses of a committee, whether there is any money handed in for that purpose or not?

Y.

AND STILL ANOTHER REPLY TO "X."

In the report of the proceeds of the recent fair, where mention was made of "one table as not reported," the meaning was that the proceeds were not given to the treasurer, as were all other receipts, but it was shown by the receipt of Sister Rosa that the amount went to the Hospital fund. The public, so far as heard from, is satisfied. If "X" wishes to "investigate any little irregularities" with which X charges the management of the fair, X is advised to visit each one who received money from the hands of the public, and call them to account for the funds placed in their hands. X can then have such report as X desires. When the net proceeds of the fair was received by the Sisters, and the public notified of the fact, the duties of the "irrepressible committee" were ended.

Feb. 26, 1879. MRS. J. G. SHKA.

GRAND UNION CONCERT.—On Saturday evening, March 8th, a grand concert will be given at the tabernacle, in this city, by a chorus of 150 voices, comprising the best singers in Decatur and Macon county. There will also be given solos, duets and quartettes, by the best talent in the country—the whole to be given under the direction of Prof. S. M. Lutz. The entertainment will be one of the most attractive musical treats ever given in Decatur, and as the Wabash railroad has consented to bring passengers from towns along its line at a reduced fare, there will doubtless be a crowded house.

THE following appeared in the New York *Sun* of a recent date:

There was a young man of Decatur,
Illinois, who foreswore the vile creatur,
Signed the pledge, donned the blue,
Felt so good through and through,
That he ardently drew
A little black flask of the creatur
And imbibed to the health,
Expansion and wealth
Of the temperance cause in Decatur—
This happy young man of Decatur,
Illinois, who foreswore the vile creatur.
—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

The young man referred to in the above lines is Billy Monahan, who, after signing the pledge at the tabernacle one Saturday night a short time ago, was afterwards picked up on the street by Merchant Policeman Wilkinson in a wretchedly intoxicated condition and cast into the city jug to sober off.

INDIGESTIBLE BREAD.

The reason why adulterated baking powders make bread and biscuits very indigestible, is because they harden the gluten of the wheat and render it less soluble. The purity and perfect combination of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder makes all articles easy of digestion

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. *Price* 25 cents per box. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur.
Feb. 8-d&w8mo

New Dressmaking Rooms.

Miss Rosa Walsh has secured an elegant suite of rooms over Challis Bros 'shoe store, in Post Office block, fitted them up in fine style, and is now prepared to do FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING in all its branches. Miss Rosa will conduct the business, and Miss Maggie Walsh will have entire charge of the work department. Orders respectfully solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed in every instance
f.N-d1w

The Highest Market Price will be paid for second-hand stoves and furniture, or will exchange new goods for the same. Give him a call.
EDWARD HOUSTON, Agent.
Feb. 24—d&wtf

MARRIED.

In this city, on Thursday, Feb. 27th, by Rev. S. McBurney, MR. JAMES TROUTMAN, of Harristown, and MISS LUCINDA ELLIOTT, of this city.

PERSONAL MENTION.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. W. H. Reeme is quite sick at her home on North Water street.

Miss Falconer, the Merchant street dressmaker and milliner, was a caller at the REPUBLICAN office this morning.

NIEDERMYER, near the mound, keeps a full line of cured meats, and a full stock of fresh vegetables and provisions. Call early and often.

ORDER the St. Nicholas 'bus for a trip to the depot or transportation from one part of the city to another.

GROCERIES, of the best quality, may always be had at W. H. Reeme's, on North Water street. Prices as low as the lowest.

NO HOUSE in central Illinois has so large and well-selected a stock of carpet goods as may be found at the grand emporium of Abel & Locke, on East Main street.

Mrs. Mitchell, the mother of Mrs. John Getty, of the Western Union Telegraph office, is in the city on a visit.

"C. A. Minckley, Boody, Ill," is the way it reads on the St. Nicholas register to-day.

D. D. Guiles, father of Mrs W. R. Chambers, returned to Mendota last evening. Mrs. Andress, Mrs. C's sister, will remain in the city until Saturday.

Mrs. John Moffett, who has been ill since the 17th inst. with an attack of the lung fever, is, we are happy to announce, improving.

Chas. Sheik, the Wabash conductor who has been away on a visit in New York state, is in the city again.

Charlotte Thompson and troupe came in from Terre Haute at *noon*, and registered at the St. Nicholas.

Frank Bloom, Lee Haltzman, Dan Jones, Leslie Evans and Capt Minckley dined at the St. Nicholas to-day It was a deuce full on jacks.

Charley Hershey, who has been in the employ of the Vandalia Railway Co. since last June, returned to the city last night.

Major C. F. Emery, of Maroa, was a caller at the REPUBLICAN office this morning.

Elder N. S. Haynes has returned from Blue Mound, and will be on hand to speak at the tabernacle on Saturday night, and also to preach at the Christian church on Sunday, *morning* and evening

Mrs. Edward B Moore and children departed on the noon train for Louisville, Ky., on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. James A. Barney returned from Paris last night, and reports her mother, Mrs. James Shoaff, entirely out of danger, which will be glad news to friends of the family in this city.

Mount Pulaski *Citizen*, 26th: Rev. D. P. Bunn, of the Universalist church of Decatur, will hold a series of meetings during next week, commencing on next Sunday and continuing over the second Sunday in March. He will have an able minister to assist him

Mrs. Albert Martin blackened her face and hands the other afternoon, and personated "Aunt Chloe" to perfection. She passed through one principal street, and called on Mrs Ed Bassey, who, nearly frightened out of a month's growth, wanted to "bounce" the intruder. After terrorizing Mrs Bassey and her guests by suddenly announcing that she had the smallpox and one or two other contagious diseases, Mrs. Martin revealed herself, and everybody laughed and chased Mrs M. all about the house until nearly exhausted.

Never buy a clock until you have seen the variety kept by Curtis & Ewing, *the* jewelers. They have almost *every kind of a clock* you can think of, and some you would never thought of.
Feb. 26—d2t w1

Removal.

Keeler, the hatter, will remove about March 15th to Powers' Block, across the street nearly opposite the present store The room is to be specially fitted up for hat and furnishing trade. New spring styles of stiff and soft hats now ready at the old stand—13 East Main Street

The True Way to Invigorate.

The true way to invigorate a feeble system is to infuse activity into the operations of the stomach, that wondrous alembic in which the food is transmuted into the constituents of the blood, the chief element of our vitality. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, because it accomplishes this end, is greatly to be preferred to many so called tonics, useful indeed as appetizers, but inoperative as aids to digestion and assimilation This sterling cordial, while it invigorates the stomach, healthfully stimulates the liver, bowels and kidneys, ensuring the escape through the regular channels of effete and useless matter thrown off by the system, which is thus purified as well as invigorated by it. Its tonic influence is soon made manifest by an increase of vital energy and a more active and regular discharge of every physical function, and it has the further effect of rendering the system unassailable by the malarial epidemics.

Money to Lend on Farms. Apply to
Dec. 12-w6w GREA & EWING.

Gents' Shawls.—Very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs. dec3d&wtf

PRETTY AND YOUNG

In every feature but the hair, which had grown white *from fever*. This lady at 35 writes us "I have used Parker's Hair Balsam six months and am more than pleased with it. It has restored the natural brown color of my hair and given it a silky softness, nicer than ever before.—There is no Dandruff, no falling hair, and it leaves the scalp so clean and nice and cool that I am ever so much pleased, and I feel and look myself again" Disinfectant properties that enter chemically into this preparation render it healing, cleansing and healthful, and the beautiful, fresh and vigorous hair it produces, together with its property of restoring the hair to its natural youthful color, leaving the head entirely free from Dandruff, clean and healthy, surprises no less than it pleases. Sold in large bottles at only fifty cents and $1.00, by all first class druggists.
Dec. 18—w8moeow

THE White Sewing Machine for sale at Ashby's. Don't buy any other till you have seen it and compared the working of it, and price. f23d&wtf

W. P. Busher & Co.'s is the place to get your boots and shoes made to order, at greatly reduced prices—every pair warranted to fit. BOOTS—Calf, Morocco, Kangaroo and Kid, plain or tongue, hand-sewed, $9.00; pegged, plain box or French toes, $6.00 to $7.00. SHOES—Buckle, Alexis, Congress, and Libby patent, and all the latest styles to suit. The ladies are particularly requested to examine our fine stock of fancy shoes and walking shoes, all kinds, ranging in price from $1.00 to that of the finest kid—button and emboessed, latest styles. NOVELTIES—Our basket cloth top, in all colors, and nickel-plated heels.
Feb. 26-d&w3m

PARLOR suits and bedroom sets, and a complete line of first-class furniture at bottom figures, at Ashby's. f18dawtf

TRIMMING FRUIT TREES.—The undersigned will attend to trimming fruit trees, grape vines and shrubbery on reasonable terms. Address. G. H. IVANS,
d Sat-w1m Calhoun street.

WHEN you contemplate making a birthday, wedding, or any other present, never make up your mind what you will give until you have seen the elegant line of goods at Curtis & Ewing's jewelry store. They are receiving new goods all the time, and always have such a large assortment from which to make your selection that you are almost sure of finding just what you desire. feb26d2t w1

SPECIAL NOTICE.—A seventh series of the Decatur Building and Benefit Association will be issued, to date from the first Tuesday in March, 1879.
J. W. BUTMAN, President.
B K DURFEE, Secretary.
Feb. 25—dtd

The Favorites of the Ladies.—The Light Running "Domestic" and St. John Sewing Machines, for which Dr. J S Hand & Co, in postoffice block, hold the exclusive agency in this county, are the favorites with the ladies all the world over. They are the simplest and cheapest machines made, and have all the modern appliances and conveniences that go to make the sum of excellences. The beauty and variety of their work is wonderful. Call and see them, and you will certainly buy jan20w1m

Try a sack of Shellabarger's "White Leaf"—new patent process flour.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, ILL., Feb 26, 1879.

GRAIN MARKET.

FLOUR-White Wheat selling per hundred lbs	$ 2.50
FLOUR-Red wheat selling per hundred lbs	2.25
CORN MEAL-White selling	.50
" " -Yellow "	.48
SHORTS Per hundred, selling	1.00
CORN	23@.25
WHEAT	.70@.80
OATS	.15

FARM PRODUCE.

POTATOES	40@50
BUTTER Per lb	.12@15
EGGS Per dozen	10@.18
LARD Selling	.10
SIDE-BACON Selling	.10
HAMS Selling	.10@.12
CHICKENS Per dozen, live	1.50@2.50
" " " " dressed	2.00@2.50
TURKEYS Dressed	.7@.8
ONIONS Per bushel	.35@.40
APPLES Per bushel	50@.75
TIMOTHY HAY New, per ton	5.00
FAT CATTLE Per cwt	3.50@4.00
HOGS Per cwt	2.50@3.00
WOOL Fine, unwashed	.24@.26
" " washed	.32@.34
HIDES Green	4½
" " damaged	½ price
" Dry	8@.12½
SHEEP PELTS-Apiece	50@75
TALLOW Per pound	4½

CITY ELECTION.

MAYOR.

WE are authorized to announce L. L. HAWORTH as a candidate for Mayor at ensuing city election.

In compliance with the wishes of his many friends CAPT. C. A. MINCKLEY will be a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing city election.

W. W. SWEARINGEN will be a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing spring election

MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH B. WINEBRENNER as a candidate for city marshal.

We are authorized to announce NORMAN PRINGLE as a candidate for City Marshal at the approaching city election

We are authorized to announce JOHN A BROCKWAY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

TREASURER.

ROBERT McCLELLAND will be a candidate for city treasurer at the ensuing municipal election.

We are authorized to announce J. A MERIWEATHER as a candidate for City Treasurer

ARTHUR E. KINNEY will be an independent candidate for City Treasurer at the ensuing spring election.

CITY ENGINEER.

We are authorized to announce SULLIVAN BURGESS as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Engineer and Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE V. LOGING as a candidate for City Engineer, at the ensuing municipal election.

ALDERMEN.

We are authorized to announce FRANK W. HARDY as a candidate for alderman in the second ward.

We are authorized to announce PETER McDONALD as a candidate for alderman in the third ward.

We are authorized to announce F. M. COX as a candidate for alderman in the fifth ward.

We are authorized to announce HENRY STAFFORD as a candidate for Alderman in the fourth ward.

We are authorized to announce WM. H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Alderman for the third ward.

We are authorized to announce WM. A DENNIS as an independent candidate for Alderman in the fourth ward.

We are authorized to announce K. HARWOOD as a candidate for Alderman in the first ward.

We are authorized to announce W. S. NICHOLS as a candidate for Alderman in the fifth ward.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE STARR as a candidate for Alderman in the first ward.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CALDWELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways at the April township election.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM T. DILLEHUNT as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, at the ensuing township election.

We are authorized to announce HENRY CASSELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways at the approaching township election.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce FRED J. SMITH as a candidate for Assessor at the ensuing Township election.

Great Reduction
IN PRICES
FOR ENTIRE WINTER SEASON,
—TO BEGIN—
TO-DAY,
Dec. the 5th, 1878,
—IN—
DRESS GOODS,
SHAWLS,
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COTTON FLANNELS,
CALICOES,
BLEACHED COTTONS,
BROWN COTTONS,
GINGHAMS,
GRAIN BAGS,
CORSETS,
UNDERWEAR,
All at Lower Prices than you can buy Shoddy Goods that have been hawked around the country, because they could not sell them at home.
LINN & SCRUGGS,
Decatur, Dec. 4, 1878—d&wtf

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Unexcelled in Economy of Fuel.
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Of experienced and economical housekeepers is given to *Procter & Gamble's Mottled German Soap*, because they find it always reliable on account of its uniform *strength and purity*. The extent of this "patronage" may be estimated by the fact that *more of Procter & Gamble's Mottled German Soap is sold* by the retail grocers of the large *towns than of any two other brands*. Water easily penetrates Soaps made of pure materials, which therefore wash and soften them. *PROCTER & GAMBLE'S MOTTLED GERMAN SOAP* is made from *Refined and Superfined Red Oil*, the best material known for producing *hard, durable and effective Soap*, which water will not weaken or soften. The smallest piece can be used to advantage. A trial is solicited. Sold everywhere.

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ALL KINDS OF
FURNITURE REPAIRED!
At the Lowest Prices.
By calling on him he will show you everything in the line of
DECORATIVE UPHOLSTERY.
Jan. 22 1879 d&w1mo

SHELLABARGER'S patent process saves one-half the labor in baking, will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here.
Dec. 18-d&wtf

Bonanza Walking Shoes, $1.00
Ferriss' Shoe Store. [25-d&w

Redemption Notice.

To John R. Smith, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, J. E. Post purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The south part of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 36, township 17 north, range 2 east of the third principal, taxed in the name of John R. Smith, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1880. THOMAS W. RITCHIE, Assignee
Feb. 5—d&wf

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GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express	6.30 a. m
" 3 Fast Line	4:15 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail	3.40 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express	10.50 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	11:45 a. m
" 6 Accommodation	6.30 p. m

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets.

Going East	9:45 a. m
Going West	1.15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express	3:50 a. m
" 43 Fast Line	4:25 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail	4:00 p. m
Freight	7.45 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 49 Lightning Express	10:80 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express	11:30 a. m
" 46 Accommodation	9:45 p. m

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H. C. TOWNSEND, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Toledo.
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Through Time by the

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EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
I., B & W. R. R.			
Leave Decatur			3:00 p m
Arv Monticello			4:05 p m
Ar Champaign	6 10 a m	1 34 p m	11 25 p m
Ar Danville	7 41 a m	3.06 p m	1.24 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11.00 a m	6.00 p m	4:20 a m
Ar Cincinnati	4 05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur	....	11 40 a m	10:45 p m
" Tolono	....	12 52 p m	11:57 p m
Ar Danville	....	2:18 p m	1:18 a m
" Indianapolis	11 00 a m	6 00 p m	4:20 a m
" Cincinnati	4.05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
" Dayton	4.55 p m	11:40 p m	9:35 a m
" Columbus	9:40 p m	12:45 a m	12:35 p m
" Zanesville	1:30 a m		3:10 p m
" Wheeling	6:05 a m	....	5.40 p m
" Washington	7:20 p m	9:07 p m	7:30 a m
" Baltimore	8:30 p m	7:35 p m	7.45 a m
" Pittsburg	....	7.50 a m	7:45 p'm
" Harrisburg	....	3:56 p m	2:50 a m
" Philadelphia	8:10 a m	7.20 p m	7.35 a m
New York	6:25 a m	10:15 p m	10 35 a m
Crestline	....	4:22 a m	12 05 p m
" Cleveland	....	7:10 a m	2.30 p m
" Buffalo	....	1:05 p m	8.05 p m
" Boston	....	8 15 a m	2:40 p m
" Louisville	7.40 p m	11 50 p m	8:30 a m
" Nashville	....	8.20 a m	7:30 p m

Train No. 6 will leave Decatur via Wabash Railway daily, and run through to Indianapolis, making all Eastern connections. All other also daily, except Sunday.

Reclining Chair Sleeping Cars with State Rooms are run on No. 6, to Indianapolis.

GEO. B. WRIGHT, Receiver.
JOHN W. BROWN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Indianapolis, Ind.

For through tickets and further information address W. S. MARSHALL, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Nov. 11th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

FROM THE EAST.

No. 2 Passenger	11.49 a. m
" 4 Passenger	8:40 p. m
" 8 Freight	6:37 p. m

DEPART EAST.

No. 1 Passenger	1:14 p. m
" 7 Freight	7:36 a. m
" 3 Passenger	6.45 a. m

FROM THE WEST.

No. 5 Freight	1.10 a. m
" 1 Passenger	12:54 p. m

DEPART WEST.

No. 6 Freight	6.45 a. m
" 2 Passenger	12 18 p. m

Sleeping Cars at Terre Haute through to Cincinnati, New York and Philadelphia.

L. GERRIS, Receiver, Terre Haute.
A. E. SHRADER, Traffic Man., Terre Haute.
C. B. COLE, Agent, Decatur, Illinois.

Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield RAILWAY CO.

Take this for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway, Illinois Central, (Chicago Division), Paris & Danville Railway, E., T. H. & C. R'y, and I., C. & S. R'y. Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and through tickets on sale at the ticket office, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD.
November 10th, 1878.

LEAVE

STATIONS.	Freight	Freig't	Pass.	Pass.
Decatur	6:00 am		1:15 pm	
Hammond	7:20 am		2:11 pm	
Tuscola	8:30 am		2:56 pm	
Newman	10:35 am		3:40 pm	
Chrisman	12:00 am		4 27 pm	
Hillsdale	1:40 pm		5:12 pm	
Montezuma	1:45 pm		5:30 pm	
Bloom'gdale	2:35 pm		5:40 pm	
Guion	3:40 pm		6:00 pm	

ARRIVE

STATIONS.	Pass.	Pass.	Fr'ght.	Fr'ght.
Decatur	11:36 am		5:20 pm	
Hammond	10:40 am		4:00 pm	
Tuscola	9 45 am		3:40 pm	
Newman	9:12 am		1:15 pm	
Chrisman	8:30 am		11:10 am	
Hillsdale	7:45 am		[illegible] am	5:05 pm
Montezuma	7:40 am		6:15 am	4:50 pm
Bloom'gdale	7:20 am			4:20 pm
Guion	7:00 am			3:45 pm

H. C. MOORE, Chief Engineer and Supt.
C. Y. [illegible], Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.
D. H. [illegible], Train Master and Supt. Tel.
General Office, Tuscola, Illinois.
GEO. E. LARY, Ticket Agent, Decatur, Ill.

SURE REMEDY FOR BALDNESS. Prescription Free to any person who will agree to pay $1 when a new growth of Hair, Whiskers or Mustache is actually produced. SANDERSON & CO., 3 Clinton Place, New York. Nov16w4w

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Nov. 11, 1878.

On and after to-day, until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	5:00 a m
Accommodation	3:00 p m
Freight	4:35 "

GOING SOUTH.

Freight	9:35 a m
Accommodation	10:10 "
Passenger	5:50 p m

E. F. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

FOR THE NORTH & NORTHWEST.

PEKIN, LINCOLN & DECATUR RAILROAD.

Take this Line for **Burlington, Council Bluffs,** Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

For Through Tickets and further information, apply to K. HARWOOD, Agent, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill.

TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1878. Nov 10th	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Arrive.			Leave.	
11.50 am	8.45 pm	Decatur	2.00 pm	10.40 pm
11.48 "	4.46 "	Mt Pulaski	12.44 "	9.45 "
1.10 "	5.16 "	Lincoln	12.08 "	9.30 "
1.51 "	5.59 "	Delavan	11.02 "	8.35 "
2.06 "	6.13 "	Green Val.	10.43 "	8.21 "
2.30 "	6.40 "	Pekin	10.09 "	7.55 "
3.00 pm	7.15 "	Peoria	9.25 am	7.25 "

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 12, 1878.

TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WARSAW RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MAY 12th, 1878, trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 8.
Lv. Peoria	*7.15 p m	†9.05 a m	*9.00 p m
" El Paso	8.34 "	10.15 "	11.07 p m
Ar. Chenoa	9.09 "	10 47 "	12.07 a m
" Fairbury	9.33 "	11 20 "	12 49 "
" Gilman	10.15 "	12.09 p m	2.35 "
" Chicago		6.05 "	6.30 "
" Watseka	11.05 "	12 38 "	4.00 "
" Sheldon	11.25 p m	1 05 "	4.55 "

*Runs Daily. †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

No. 2 has Reclining Chair Car from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette and Indianapolis, and Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Fort Wayne and Toledo.

No. 4 has through day coach from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette.

No. 8 has a Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Chicago.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7
Lv. El Paso	*7.25 am	†1.46 pm	*4.03 pm
" Peoria	8.50 "	3.00 "	6.20 "
Ar Canton	*10.10 "	4.12 "	....
" Bushnell	11.30 "	5.23 "	....
" Burlington	1.50 pm	7.25 "	....
" Keokuk	2.10 "	7.35 "	....
" West Liberty	10.40 "	10.30 "	....
" Cedar Rapids	12.25 am	12 25 am	....
" Waterloo	3.07 "	3 07 "	....
" Ottumwa	11.30 pm	10.50 pm	....
" Des Moines	2.50 am	2.50 am	....
" Omaha	10 00 "	10.00 "	....

*Runs Daily. † Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

All trains run through entire from Indiana State Line to the Mississippi River.

No. 3 has Reclining Chair Car from Indianapolis and Lafayette to Peoria and Burlington, and Palace Sleeping Car from Toledo and Fort Wayne to Peoria.

No. 5 has day coach through from Lafayette to Peoria and Burlington.

No. 7 has Palace Sleeping Car from Chicago and Gilman to Peoria.

For tickets and further information apply to GEO. M. YOUNG, Agent, El Paso.
Or to A. V. THOMAS, Ticket Agent, No. 102 North Adams street, Peoria.
A. L. HOPKINS, General Manager. H. C. TOWNSEND, General Ticket Agent, PEORIA, ILL.

TIME CARD
—FOR—
STREET CARS

Leave Old Square at .... 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 A. M.
And every 30 minutes up to .... 10 30 P. M.
For morning trains going North and West will leave Old Square at .... 5 00 A. M.
For early morning train West will leave .... 2 30 "
Leave depot .... 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 "
And every 30 minutes until .... 11 00 P. M.
From 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. a car will leave each end of the route every 15 minutes.

Baggage conveyed to and from the depot, and calls made in time for all trains if orders are left at Priest's Hotel in time to take cars.

Baggage to go on night or early morning trains must be delivered at Priest's Hotel by 9 o'clock P. M., or orders left for same by that time.

F. PRIEST, Pres. H. R'y & C. Co.
May23'74-dtf

DECATUR POST-OFFICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails

MAILS CLOSE AT

11:00 A. M.—*Wabash R. R. East, Chicago, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota; *Illinois Midland West.
12.30 P. M.—*I., D. & S. R. R.; *Ill. Mid. East.
1.30 P. M.—*I., B. & W. R. R.
2:00 P. M.—*Mattoon, Sullivan & Decatur R R; *Chicago & Dubu. R. P. O., through pouch; *Chicago & Burlington R. P. O., through pouch.
3.00 P. M.—*Wabash R. R. West; *St. Louis way; *P., L. & D. R. R.
5:00 P. M.—*Ill. Cent. South, and Cincinnati.
7:30 P. M.—Ill. Cent. North; †Toledo and Lafayette R. P. O. (Ohio and Indiana); *Buffalo and Toledo R. P. O. (Eastern States); *Chicago and Toledo R. P. O., Chicago, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minn., Peoria, Lincoln, Mattoon, Tuscola, Bement, Jacksonville and Quincy. ‡Lafayette, Indiana, through pouch; †Indianapolis, do.; †Toledo, O., do.; *Springfield, Ill., do.; *St. Louis, Mo., do
Night mails close Sunday at 6:30 P. M.
*Except Sunday. ‡Except Saturday. †Daily.

MAILS ARRIVE AT

6 00 A. M. *Ill. Cent R. R. South; †Toledo and Lafayette R. P. O.; *Buffalo and Toledo R. P. O. (Eastern States; *Chicago and Tolono R. P. O; *St. Louis, Missouri, through pouch; *Springfield, Ill., do.; ‡Lafayette, Ind., do.; †Indianapolis, Ind., do., †Toledo, O., do.
10:00 A. M.—*I., B. & W. R. R.
10:30 A. M.—*Chicago and Dub. R. P. O. through pouch; *Chicago & Burlington R. P. O., do.
12:00 M.—*St. Louis way, *Wabash R. R. West, *Midland R. R. East, *Ind., D. & S. R. R., *Mattoon & Sullivan R. R.
2:00 P. M.—*Midland R. R. West.
3.30 P. M.—*P., L. & D. R. R.
4:00 P. M.—*Wabash R. R. East.
6.00 P. M.—*Ill. Central North.
*Except Sunday. †Daily ‡Except Monday.

OFFICE HOURS—Open at 7 A. M.; close at 8 P. M. Open Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.

Nov. 26, 1877. R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

Redemption Notice.

To Charles Hopping, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Part of lot 17, east half southwest quarter sec. 14, township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M., taxed in the name of Charles Hopping, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.

Feb. 26—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

Revolvers [illegible] Western Gun Works, Chicago

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

WILLIAM T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
—AND—
Solicitor in Chancery.
Office No. 10 Water street, Decatur, Ill.
Private funds to loan on farm lands.
Feb. 12.d&wtf

BUNN & BUNN, A. Brower Bunn and John B. Bunn.
Attorneys and Counselors-at-Law
AND SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY.
Office on East Main street, over J. Millikin & Co.'s Bank, Decatur, Ill.
Jan. 15, 1879—d&wtf

JOHN A. BROWN,
Attorney-at-Law,
And Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois. Office 22 North Water street, west side of New Square, Decatur, Ill.
Jan. 10, 1879—d&wly

MIRANDA M. SARGENT, M. D.
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GEORGE R. SHIRLEY, Blue Mound, Ill.,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Prompt attention given to all kinds of collections. Money to loan on real estate.
May 5, 1878—d&wtf

DR. J. M. BLYTHE,
DENTIST.
Office in Opera Block, over H. B. Lewis's grocery store. Residence, southwest cor. William and Monroe streets. All work warranted.
April 20, 1878—d&wtf

JEAN F. WEBB,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
And Solicitor in Chancery, Decatur, Illinois. Office, 21 Water street—Up-stairs.
April 4, 1878—d&wtf

IRA B. CURTIS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
No. 25 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois. Collections a Specialty.
REFERENCES—Pedlecord & Burrows, bankers; J. Millikin & Co., bankers; A. T. Hill, National Bank; John Ullrich, wholesale grocer; J. R. Race & Co., clothiers; Linn & Scruggs, merchants; Capt. R. P. Lytle, Postmaster.
Dec. 14, 1877—d&wtf

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY,
Attorney and Counselor-at-Law,
Office over the Decatur National Bank. Special attention to matters in Probate and Chancery. Decatur, Ill., Apr. 9,'77. d&wly

T. S. HOSKINS,
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May28'75-d&wtf

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Illinois April3'72dtf

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, E. R. Eldridge, J. C. Hostetler
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Office over Newell & Hammer's Grocery Store.
July3'74-dly

P. B. SPARKS, M. D.,
HOMEOPATHIST,
Office at his residence, first door north of Isaac Shellabarger's, on Franklin St., Decatur, Ill. All calls promptly responded to in the city or country, day or night.
Aug. 16, 1876-dtf

HARVEY PASCO,
Attorney at Law,
Solicitor in Chancery and Notary Public.
Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Contracts, and all kinds of Legal Instruments carefully written and Acknowledgments taken and Abstracts examined. Attention given to Probate business, War Claims, and all matters arising under the State insolvent law. Collections made in all parts of the United States. Office over Busher's Shoe Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill. Office open from 7 A. M. to 8 P. M. Also office at No. 42 West Wood street, open from 8 to 10 P. M. June25d&wtf

B. L. STERRETT,
Attorney-at-Law,
Office southeast corner of the Old Square, in the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's Drug Store.
Jun16d&wly

BUNN & PARK, D. L. Bunn, Edwin Park
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Office No. 14 East Main street, up stairs, Decatur, Illinois. April7'76-dtf

A. ROBERTSON SMALL, M. D.,
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April 25, 1878—wtf

CLARK & ARBUCKLE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
And Solicitors in Chancery,
No. 22 North Water Street—back room.
Nov. 14—wtf

FRANK W. HAINES,
BILL POSTER, DISTRIBUTOR.
—AND—
AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,
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S. J. BUMSTEAD, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
OCULIST AND AURIST
Successor to Dr. J. W. Routh, Decatur. Office on East Main street, formerly occupied by Dr. Routh. Residence No 22 West Eldorado street.
May28'77-d&w3m.

DR. A. S. WALTZ,
DENTIST,
Office over Barber & Co's Shoe Store, East Main street; Residence No. 49 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois. Jun18'78-d&m*

Redemption Notice.

To J. A. Clements, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lots: Lots ten (10), eleven (11), fourteen (14) and fifteen (15), in block nine (9), in the town of Blue Mound, taxed in the name of J. A. Clements; and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.

Feb. 7—d3w M. P. MURPHEY.

The Daily Republican.

TALMAGEISMS of Sunday: A star looks out, and every falling tear it kisses with a sparkle. A wing of wind comes over the hot earth, and lifts the lock from the fevered brow. * * * One-half of the trouble in the world to-day comes from the fact that people do not know their place, or, finding their place, will not stay in it. * * * Our first duty is to find our sphere, our second is to keep it. * * * Here is a man God fashioned to make a plow. There is a man God fashioned to make a constitution. * * * There is a woman who was made to fashion a robe, and yonder is one intended to be a Queen and wear it. * * * The small wheel of a watch, which beautifully went treading its golden pathway, wants to be the balance-wheel, and the sparrow, with chagrin, drops into the brook because it cannot, like the eagle, cut a circle under the sun. In the Lord's army we all want to be Brigadier Generals. The sloop says: "More mast, more tonnage, more canvas. O that I were a *topsail schooner*, or a full-rigged brig, or a Cunard steamer." And so that world is filled with cries of discontent because we are not willing to stay in the place where God puts us and intended us to be.

The True Way to Invigorate.

The true way to invigorate a feeble system is to infuse activity into the operations of the stomach, that wondrous alembic in which the food is transmuted into the constituents of the blood, the chief element of our vitality. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, because it accomplishes this end, is greatly to be preferred to many so-called tonics, useful indeed as appetizers, but inoperative as aids to digestion and assimilation. This sterling cordial, while it invigorates the stomach, healthfully stimulates the liver, bowels and kidneys, ensuring the escape through the regular channels of effete and useless matter thrown off by the system, which is thus purified as well as invigorated by it. Its tonic influence is soon made manifest by an increase of vital energy and a more active and regular discharge of every physical function, and it has the further effect of rendering the system unassailable by the malarial epidemics.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

Your taxes are due. Call and get your receipts. Office, corner Prairie and Water streets. W. W. FOSTER, Collector.
Feb. 5—d1m

THE White Sewing Machine for sale at Ashby's. Don't buy any other till you have seen it and compared the working of it, and price. f23d&wtf

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. [Dec. 18-d&wtf

Turkeys, Oysters, Oranges, Lemons, Nuts, Grapes, Buckwheat Flour, Maple Syrup, and everything in the grocery line, at YOUNG BROS.
Dec. 19-dtf

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, at lowest cash prices, the corn to be delivered at D. S Shellabarger & Co.'s mill.
Jan. 1—d&wtf

Ladies, Take Notice!—We have just received and placed on sale the largest, best and cheapest stock of Ladies' walking shoes ever offered in this market.—You are respectfully invited to call and examine quality and price.
Feb. 11-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

Try that famous Summer Bologna Sausage for family use, prepared and sold only by J. Imboden & Son
Feb 11—d&w8w

If you want your furniture made as *good as new, call on Howard & Ferguson.*
Feb. 10—dtf

The Comfort Patent Corset—Bortree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at
Jan. 23-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

See those new spring styles Ladies Shoes and Slippers, at Ferriss' Shoe Store.
Jan. 25-d&wtf

FRIENDLY SUGGESTIONS

To Travelers, as well as to Those Seeking New Homes in the West.

The summer of 1878 will long be remembered by many on account of the extreme heat, as well as the *terrible plague* that has visited certain sections of our country. Therefore, if you are about *taking a trip to the West*, ether for pleasure or to look out a location for a *New Home*, seek to locate on (or nearly so), *the same latitude in which you formerly lived*. The reasons for this are many. You will escape the severe climatic changes and fevers incident to North or South, consequently you will experience no *poor health*, which is a great draw drawback to the new settler, and in this way you become *producers at once*. *The Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad* is located upon the *happy medium* between North and South, running through the northern part of Missouri, where there is no plague or pestilence, and upon which line thousands of happy settlers are located, and on account of the wonderful fertility of the soil, together with the *best of markets* have become independent, and surrounded as they are with the best of schools and churches, together with all the home comforts, are a prosperous and happy people.

For rates, maps, time tables, etc., apply to either of the following agents:

R. TENBROECK, Gen'l Eastern Ag't, 317 Broadway, N. Y.
J. A. S. REED, Gen'l Trav. Ag't, 59 Clark st., Chicago.
C. W. BOARDMAN, Pass. Agent, Decatur, Ill.,
T. PENFIELD, Gen'l Pass. Ag't, Hannibal, Mo.
Jan. 13, 1879—dtf

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A NOTED DIVINE SAYS THEY ARE WORTH THEIR WEIGHT in GOLD

READ WHAT HE SAYS:

DR. TUTT:—Dear Sir: For ten years I have been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation and Piles. Last Spring your Pills were recommended to me; I used them (but with little faith). I am now a well man, have good appetite, digestion perfect, regular stools, piles gone, and I have gained forty pounds solid flesh. They are worth their weight in gold.

REV. R. L. SIMPSON, Louisville, Ky.

A TORPID LIVER

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Tutt's Pills exert a powerful influence on the Liver, and will with certainty, relieve that important organ from disease, and restore its normal functions.

The rapidity with which persons take on flesh, while under the influence of these pills, of itself indicates their adaptability to nourish the body, hence their efficacy in curing nervous debility, dyspepsia, wasting of the muscles, sluggishness of the liver, chronic constipation, and imparting health and strength to the system.

CONSTIPATION.

Only with regularity of the bowels can perfect health be enjoyed. When the constipation is of recent date, a single dose of TUTT'S PILLS will suffice, but if it has become habitual, one pill should be taken every night, gradually lessening the frequency of the dose until a regular daily movement is obtained, which will soon follow.

Sold Everywhere, 25 Cents.
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REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To Joe Greison, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 14, block 1, in William Martin's 1st addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of Joe Greison, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1879.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To H. B. Plant, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: *Lot 5, block 3, Wait & Co.'s* addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of H. B. Plant, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To J. C. Pennewell, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the *county of Macon* and *state of Illinois, on the* 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: North half of lot 9, block 4, in Plant & Tuttle's Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of J. C. Pennewell, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. JOHN N. BILLS.

To J. S. Ward, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, *for the taxes for* the year 1876, I purchased the following described *lot, to-wit:* Lot 1, *block 7,* in Carver's Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of J. S. Ward, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To Frank Prather, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the *county of Macon* and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: West side lot 3, south half lot 2, northwest quarter section 18 township 16 north, range 2 east of the third P. M., taxed in the name of Frank Prather, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. JOHN N. BILLS.

To R. G. Hervey, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I *purchased the following* described lots, to-wit: Lots 6, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 3, in Railroad Addition to the town of Maroa, taxed in the name of R. G. Hervey, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. JOHN N. BILLS.

To Calvin Beasley, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: Lot one in southwest quarter southeast quarter section 5, township 17 north, range 4 east of the 3rd P. M., taxed in the name of Calvin Beasley, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To J. H. Harrison, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th *day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for* the year 1876, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: North half northeast quarter northeast quarter section 26, township 16 north, range 1 east of the third P. M., taxed in the name of J. H. Harrison, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. JOHN N. BILLS.

To M. C. Hoffman, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following *described tract of land, to-wit: North half lot* 7 in south half section 19, township 15 north, range 1 east of the third P. M., taxed in the name of M. C. Hoffman, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To John Cullen, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot to-wit: Lot 4, block 7, in Plant & Tuttle's Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of John Cullen, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. JOHN N. BILLS.

To W. A. Stevens, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described tract of land, to wit: South half of lot 7 in the south half of section 19, township 15 north, range 1 east of the 3rd P. M., taxed in the name of W. A. Stevens, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To Wm. Blakely, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 15, block 15, in Carver's Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of William Blakely, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
Feb. 6—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

SURE REMEDY FOR BALDNESS. Prescription Free to any person who will agree to pay $1 when a new growth of Hair, Whiskers or Mustache is actually produced. Sanderson & Co., 3 Clinton Place, New York.
Feb. 13—w6w

REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To John Clark, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: West half of lot 9, in the northeast quarter southeast quarter of section 18, town 16, range 2 east, one-half acre, taxed *in the name of John Clark*, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To R. R. Rogers, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lots, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block 3, and lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, in block 4, in the village of Forsyth, taxed in the name of R. R. Rogers, and that the time of the redemption thereof *from said sale will expire* on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Daniel Morgan, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: East half of lot 1, in southwest quarter southwest quarter of section 28, town 16, range 1 west—10 acres, taxed in the name of Daniel Morgan, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To James Campbell, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 3, in block 1, *of M. Forstmyer's Addition to Decatur*, taxed in the name of James Campbell, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To A. M. Cherry, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th *day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for* the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 13, in block 19, of Carver's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of A. M. Cherry, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Emanuel Clark, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: Northeast quarter southwest quarter of section 5, town 15, range 1 east—40 acres, taxed in the name of Emanuel Clark, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee

To J. S. Ward, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lots, to-wit: Lots 3, 4 and 5, in block 7, Carver's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of J. S. Ward, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Mary Blackburn, or whom it may concern.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on *the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes* for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lots, to-wit: Lot 2 and north half of lot 3, in block 1, of S. K. Thompson's 1st addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Mary Blackburn, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To C. A. Kinnear, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 6, block 2, of H. Robinson's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of C. A. Kinnear, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Jos. Bowen, or whom it may concern.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 14, in block 6, in the resurvey of block 6, of Read & Co.'s *Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name* of Jos. Bowen, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To George Funk, or whom it may concern.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on *the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes* for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: Undivided one-half of lot 14, in lot 3, of the northwest quarter of section 2, town 15, range 3 east—6 38-100 acres, taxed in the name of George Funk, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Eliza Dally, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: West half southeast quarter northwest quarter of section 27, town 16, range 2 east, 20 acres, taxed in the name of Eliza Daily, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To John E. Likens, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby *notified that at a sale of* lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: North half south half of lot one in northwest quarter of section 30, town 17, range 4 east, 20 acres, taxed in the name of John E. Likens, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To A. B. Hostetler, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: West side northwest quarter of section 31, town 16, range 2 east—19 90-100 acres, taxed in the name of A. B. Hostetler, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Henry Hilbish, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: East half northwest quarter of sec. 15, town 17, range 3 east—78 87-100 acres, taxed in the name of Henry Hilbish, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To Wm. Holders' heirs, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: West half southwest quarter southeast quarter of section 4, town 16, range 2 east—20 acres, taxed in the name of Wm. Holders' heirs, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
Feb. 25—d3w J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To Chas. H. Bush, or whom it may concern:
You are hereby notified that a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 3, in block 3, of the South Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Charles H. Bush, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To S. Wait, or whom it may concern.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 12, in block 19, of Carver's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of S. Wait, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee

To H. Housman, or whom it may concern
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 1, in block 3, in the village of Newburg, taxed in the name of H. Housman, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

To J. Waggoner, or whom it may concern.
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th *day of* June, A. D. 1877, *for the* taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described land, to-wit: Lots 3 and 4, in the east half of lot 1, of the northwest quarter of section 3, in town 16, range 3 east—10 26-100 acres, taxed in the name of J. Waggoner, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879. J. H DURFEE, Assignee

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Adam Cormany and Mary A Cormany, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, by their certain trust deed bearing date January 8th, 1873, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book 35, page 223, did convey to Martin P. Murphy, trustee, the following described premises situate in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter of section nineteen (19), in township fifteen (15) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, except twenty (20) rods off of the north end of said tract of land above described, to secure the payment of one principal note for the sum of twelve hundred and sixty dollars, executed by said Adam Cormany, payable to Joseph Miehl or order, one year after the date thereof, with interest, at the rate of ten per cent. per annum,

And whereas, it is provided in and by said deed of trust that in case of default in the payment of said note or interest, or any part thereof, then on application of the legal holder of said note it should be lawful for said trustee to sell and dispose of said premises at public auction at the front door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois, to the highest bidder for cash, and out of the proceeds of such sale, after paying all costs incurred, to pay the amount due upon said note with the interest accrued thereon; and whereas, the said principal note become and was due and payable on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1878, and now remains due and unpaid, with a portion of the interest accrued thereon,

And whereas, the legal holder of said note has made application to the undersigned and requested him to sell said premises under the power contained in said deed of trust;

Now therefore, public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of said trust deed, I, the undersigned, will, on

Friday, the 28th day of February, A D 1879,

at eleven o'clock A. M., at the west outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, sell and dispose of the above described premises, and all the right, title and equity of redemption of said Adam Cormany and Mary A. Cormany their heirs and assigns therein at public auction for cash to the highest and best bidder therefor.

MARTIN P. MURPHEY, Trustee.
Jan. 28, 1879—d30d

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

James F. Roach and Benjamin O. McReynolds vs. William M. Dickey, Jennie M. Dickey and Sarah A. Dickey—Bill to foreclose mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Wednesday, the 19th day of March, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: All the interest of said William M. Dickey and wife, being an undivided one-tenth interest in the following pieces, lots, tracts and parcels of land, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section thirty-six (36), the south half of the southwest quarter of said section, lot one (1), in the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said section, lot one (1), in the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of said section all in township eighteen (18) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M; also, lot seven (7), in the northwest quarter of section thirty-one (31), township eighteen (18) north and range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 17th, 1879.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois.
ROBY, OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainants. Feb17d3d

TWO FARMS FOR SALE

I OFFER FOR SALE 160 ACRES OF well-improved land, with a good house, barn and other buildings, well fenced with pine boards and rails; young orchard. Situated one mile and a quarter west of Argenta, in Friends Creek township, Macon county, Ill., in section 36.

Also, 80 Acres in section 36, well improved, and well tiled. No house on this.

80 Acres in section 34—improved; all in good pasture. This place has on it a house, barn, sheds, good orchard, etc. I will sell the above land on five years' time

Also, 8 Acres of good timber in section 24 7 acres in section 26.

Call on or address me at the Argenta P. O., Macon county, Ill.

Feb. 21—d&w6w† HENRY HILBRIGHT

Election Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE citizens, legal voters, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, that the

ANNUAL CITY ELECTION

For said city will be held at the

Neptune Hose House, in the first ward.
B. Dill's Carpenter Shop, in the 2d ward
Rescue Hose House, in the 3rd ward;
County Clerk's office, in the 4th ward.
Eldorado Hose House, in the 5th ward, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 4th, 1879,

To elect one Mayor, one Treasurer, one Marshal, one Surveyor and Engineer, and one Alderman from each ward.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock A M, and kept open until 7 o'clock P. M.

Given under my hand this 19th day of February, A. D. 1879.

GEO. P. HARDY, City Register.
Feb. 19—dtd

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
N. LAUX & BRO., Proprietors.
South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois
March 15, 1878—d&w

MEN [illegible] YEARLY [illegible] CONTRACT